



PATENT APPLICATION  
Serial No. 08/716,169  
Atty. Docket No. 470-961125

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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In re application of

TECH CENTER 1600/290

Stephen M. ANDERTON et al.

: PEPTIDE FRAGMENTS OF MICROBIAL  
: STRESS PROTEINS AND  
: PHARMACEUTICAL COMPOSITION  
: MADE THEREOF FOR THE TREATMENT  
: AND PREVENTION OF INFLAMMATORY  
: DISEASES

Serial No. 08/716,169

Filed December 17, 1996

Examiner - Patrick J. Nolan

Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania  
September 17, 2001

**NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE PRIMARY EXAMINER  
TO THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES**

**BOX DAC**

Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Applicants hereby appeal to the Board of Appeals and Interferences from the decision dated July 25, 2001 stating that that application was abandoned. A five-month Petition for Extension of Time and a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) are filed concurrently herewith in response to the Communication dated March 16, 2001.

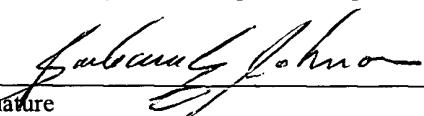
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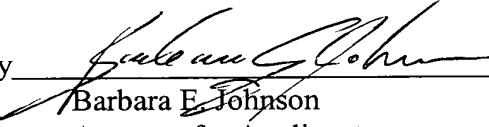
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A check in the amount of \$320.00 is enclosed herewith to cover the cost of filing the Notice of Appeal. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. 23-0650 or credit any overpayment in the form of a check. One (1) original and two (2) copies of this Notice of Appeal are enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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